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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Inventors: HAUPTMANN *et al.*
Serial No.: 07/821,750; filed January 2, 1992
For: **TNF Receptors, TNF Binding
Proteins and DNA's Coding for
Them**
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Sir:

The following documents are submitted herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-noted application:

- a. Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 (no fee due);
- b. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);
- c. SKG&F Check No. 11225 in the amount of \$840.00 to cover the fee for a three-month extension of time (large entity);
- d. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;

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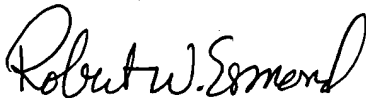
- e. A list of the cited references (5) on Form PTO-1449;
- f. A copy of each of the cited references;
- g. SKG&F Check No. 11221 to cover the \$200.00 fee required as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p); and
- h. Post Card.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postpaid post card be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned as soon as possible.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. If extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned, and any fees therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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